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CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEEExport of Chemicals to East GermanyMemorandum by the United Kingdom Delegation

The United Kingdom authorities have been asked to approve the export to East Germany of the following materials included on the Atomic Energy List:-

<u>A. E. List</u>	<u>Weight in Grammes</u>	<u>Material</u>	<u>Value £</u>
1(b)	1	Uranium Oxide	4.34
1(g)	5	Thorium Oxide	2.98
35	500	Lithium Nitrate	41.12

2. The uranium oxide and thorium oxide are required by Dia-Chemie, Berlin and the lithium nitrate by Technocommerz G.m.b.H., Berlin. Both firms state that these chemicals will be used in laboratory work.

3. Her Majesty's Government wish to authorise the export of these materials as ad hoc exceptions, as the quantities involved would, in their view, have no strategic significance. Her Majesty's Government would be grateful for the view of member governments by December 7.

United Kingdom Delegation,
Paris.

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